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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Microsoft Corporation			
Application No./Patent No.: 10/014,747 Filed/Issue Date: 10/26/2001			
Entitled: Method For Providing User Authentication/Authorization And Distributed Firewall Using Same			
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